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MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN, UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT: ACDA Requests for Clearance (U)

1. The Defense Intelligence Agency is holding in abeyance requests from Arms Control and Disarmament Agency through the Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense, International Security Affairs for permission to release to ACDA contractors, classified intelligence studies which incorporate classified intelligence from various United States Intelligence Board members, overseas military commands and foreign nations. These studies were produced by one or another of ACDA contractors under specified contracts. ACDA wishes to certify the need-to-know of other ACDA contractors for those studies.
2. Classified intelligence support to ACDA is furnished by DIA for DoD-produced intelligence, by the Central Intelligence Agency for CIA-produced intelligence, and by the Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State for USIB-produced intelligence other than DoD and CIA.
3. Under current USIB policy, all intelligence materials released under USIB-D-39.5/19 and "all other materials of any kind incorporating data from such intelligence materials are returned to the releasing agency for final disposition" upon expiration of the contract. ACDA now receives permission to release USIB-produced intelligence to its contractors as stated in paragraph 2. above. USIB may consider that ACDA requests should be directed to DIA, CIA and INR, Department of State and that approval of these agencies would be sufficient for USIB input to the studies.
4. USIB-D-39.5/19 gives advance consent of the USIB membership for the release of selected intelligence to certain contractors if that intelligence was produced by a USIB member. Specifically excluded are Foreign Service Reports of the Department of State and documents originating in the DoD other than those originated by the Service Intelligence components and DIA. Permission to release intelligence falling within those excluded categories must be obtained from the originating agency. ACDA's current request for permission to release its contractors' studies which incorporate material in excluded categories may require consideration by the originating agency. However, it is possible that the USIB may decide to authorize ACDA to release contractor studies incorporating excluded category information if ACDA certifies:

- a. The need-to-know of its other contractors.
 - b. That the incorporated material has been sanitized satisfactorily.
 - c. That the contractor studies will be afforded the same security protection required for documents incorporated in the studies.
5. USIB may also wish to consider ACDA's requests in light of the fact that classified intelligence from foreign nations has been incorporated in contractor studies.
6. It is suggested the problems posed in this memorandum be referred to the Security Committee for study and development of recommendations for USIB consideration.

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